

Form PTO 1449 (Modified)		U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE		ATTY DOCKET NO. 293196US6XPCT		SERIAL NO. 10/588,843	
LIST OF REFERENCES CITED BY APPLICANT				APPLICANT Shozo YOKOYAMA, et al.		GROUP 3654	
				FILING DATE August 9, 2006			
U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS							
EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUB CLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
	AA	2003/0085043 A1	5/8/2003	Shigeru MUTA, et al. (corresponding to JP 2003-201089 previously filed 8/9/2006)			
	AB						
	AC						
	AD						
	AE						
	AF						
	AG						
	AH						
	AI						
	AJ						
	AK						
	AL						
	AM						
	AN						
FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS							
		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	TRANSLATION YES NO		
	AO	EP 0 806 525 A2	11/12/1997	Europe (corresponding to JP 10-114969 previously filed 8/9/2006)			
	AP						
	AQ						
	AR						
	AS						
	AT						
	AU						
	AV						
OTHER REFERENCES (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, etc.)							
	AW						
	AX						
	AY						
	AZ					<input type="checkbox"/> Additional References sheet(s) attached	
Examiner		/Thomas Brahan/				Date Considered 08/20/2008	

*Examiner: Initial if reference is considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.